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TIME TABLES

Time of Arrival and Departure of Trains at Reno.

ARRIVES	TRAIN	DEPARTS
SOUTHERN PACIFIC		
8:50 p.m.	No. 4, Eastbound Express	8:50 p.m.
8:05 a.m.	No. 6, Eastbound Fast Mail	8:10 a.m.
7:25 p.m.	No. 2, Eastbound Limited	7:25 p.m.
5:40 a.m.	No. 5, Westbound Express	5:45 a.m.
4:45 a.m.	No. 3, Westbound Fast Mail	4:50 a.m.
6:50 a.m.	No. 1, Westbound Limited	6:55 a.m.
VIRGINIA AND TRUCKEE		
7:10 p.m.	No. 1, Virginia Express	8:55 a.m.
10:45 a.m.	No. 2, Local Passenger	1:20 p.m.
11:45 a.m.	No. 3, Local Passenger	1:20 p.m.



In effect Tuesday, April 8, 1902.

No. 1	No. 2
8:00 a.m. Ar. Reno	8:00 a.m. Ar. Reno
10:30 a.m. Ar. Plumas	10:30 a.m. Ar. Plumas
12:15 p.m. Ar. Beckwith	12:15 p.m. Ar. Beckwith
1:05 p.m. Ar. Custer	1:05 p.m. Ar. Custer
10:30 a.m. Lv. Plumas	10:30 a.m. Lv. Plumas
11:30 a.m. Lv. Beckwith	11:30 a.m. Lv. Beckwith
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Connecting at Plumas Junction with Sierra Valley Railroad. With stage at Doyle for Mildred, Jansenville & Huntington. At Hot Springs for Sulzberger and Standish. At Terno for Altaville, Cedarville, Lake City and Ft. Bidwell, Cal. and Lakeview, Plumas, Folsom, Oregon.

T. F. Dunaway, J. H. Bennett, V. P. and G. M. G. F. and P. A.

Arrival and Departure of Mail

CENTRAL PACIFIC

Arrives	Train	Closes
7:23 p.m.	1	7:00 p.m.
8:10 a.m.	1	8:15 a.m.
12:15 a.m.	1	7:40 p.m.
8:05 a.m.	1	7:30 a.m.

VIRGINIA & TRUCKEE

Arrives	Express	Local
7:10 p.m.	1	1
11:45 a.m.	1	1

NEVADA-CALIFORNIA-OREGON

Arrives	Express	Local
6:30 p.m.	1	1
7:10 a.m.	1	1

Buffalo and Shephard arrives Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.; closes Friday at 7:30 a.m. Tuesday arrives Saturday at 3 p.m. and leaves Friday at 7 a.m.

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RENO, NEVADA

Church Directory.

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Congregational—Virginia and Fifth streets, Charles E. Chase, pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday Bible School at 12:15 and Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Midweek meeting for prayer and Bible study every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Junior Endeavor Friday at 2:30 p. m. Pastor's residence, 419 South Virginia street. Telephone Black 132.

Trinity Episcopal Church—Corner Second and Sierra streets. Rector, Rev. Samuel Unsworth. Residence, 110 Second street, adjoining church. Holy communion every Sunday and all Holy Saint's Days at 7:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon every Sunday at 11 o'clock, full surpliced choir; Sunday school, 12:30 p. m.; evening song and sermon at 7:30 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal—Sierra street, near First. Preaching every Sabbath at 11 and 7:30. Sunday school at 10. Epworth League services 8:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. J. W. Phelps, pastor. Residence 113 West street. Telephone

Baptist Church—Second and Chestnut streets. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sundays. E. Y. U. at 6:30 p. m. Junior B. Y. P. U. at 3 p. m. Sunday school at 12:15. Week-day Services—Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday. Pastor, R. F. Hudson; residence and study, 418 West street.

FIFTY CENT COLUMN.

All classes of legitimate advertisements not exceeding six lines inserted in this column at 50 cents a week.

REWARD TO FINDER.

LOST—A small grip between Reno and Carson Saturday night, brown alligator skin, a reward of ten dollars will be paid for return of same and contents to the Owl Saloon May 11.

LADIES MACCABEES.

The Ladies Maccabees will give an entertainment at Investment Hall, Monday evening, May 13th. Admission, including refreshments, 75 cents. apr25w2

RENO SHOE BLACKING CO.

In a day of two John Hill will open a shoe polishing stand at the foot of the Journal office stairs. He will also sell tobacco and cigars. ap21w

PIANO TUNING

W. P. Stewart, the reliable piano and organ tuner and repairer, is receiving orders at 1012 E. 5th street. He is a master mechanic and fully guarantees all work or no pay. Leave orders at Brookins store. 29 1

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Tuned and repaired by the celebrated W. T. Sharp, piano maker and tuner for over thirty years. Prof. Sharp is a master mechanic and fully guarantees all work or no pay. Leave orders at Brookins store. 29 1

INTERESTING LECTURE.

On Thursday evening May 13th Rev. W. Lundy, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Stockton, will deliver a lecture on Ireland in the Congregational Church under the auspices of the St. Margaret Society. The lecture will be illustrated with stereopticon views. Irish melodies will be part of the program. Admission 10 may1w

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If You Don't See What You Want Here Just Ask for It.

Seasonable wearing apparel at Sunderland's.

If you want your work done well, see Savage.

Go to H. Leter for made-to-order suits that suit.

Thyes is always in the lead, try one of his Olivette Cocktails.

A new invoice of straw hats and spring shirts at the Golden Rule.

The directory of Reno on sale at the Journal office and at Harry Davis store.

Asavado, next Racket store, makes the best tamales in town.

Dressed chickens and turkeys for sale Fridays and Frank Campbell's.

If dissatisfied with the work or prices of other plumbers, try Savage.

Olivette Cocktails, call for one at Thyes, something new, try one.

Angel cream cakes baked to order at 207 Fifth street. Telephone Red 345.

Designer and Standard patterns for May on sale at Mrs. Petrie's.

Tiger disc plows, the wonder of the century, sold by Nevada Hardware and Supply Company.

H. J. Thyes handles Salt Lake City root beer, a sparkling and refreshing beverage.

Syracuse chilled plows at Nevada Hardware and Supply Company's store. See them and you will buy no other.

Drop in at the Sacramento beer hall some evening. You will be treated well and probably often.

Morrill & Werner have sold six rubber-tired vehicles recently. They just received a carload of handsome buggies and wagons.

If you enjoy a sociable game of freeze out, sole or Pedro, drop in at the Snug saloon. Messrs. Pringle and Carroll will make you feel at home.

New spring stock just shelled at the Golden Rule. If you want good goods at reasonable prices patronize M. Frank & Company.

Robert Earleton has received a dozen or more large handsome portraits of the champion prize fighters of all classes. Drop in at the New Palm and look at them.

Harry Davis has received a complete line of some cards and what counters. His stock of rubber stamp goods is complete. Choice specimens of Indian basket work.

Anheuser-Busch beer is the best brew handled in Reno. Sold only by Bryson & Cohn. Try some of the Mearch's back beer before it is all gone.

Henry Ritter's Elite saloon is the place where prospectors meet to swap lies and incidentally sample the finest cigars and liquors in Reno.

If you want anything late for neckwear don't fail to see the prominent shop in all the spring shapes. Call on M. Frank & Co., the popular price goods' furnishers.

Jacob Cohn, the tailor, doesn't deal in hand-made-downs. No guarantee everything and requires no deposit. Agent for R. Sterns & Company of New York. Cleaning and repairing done.

Time changes the year and style, but the quality of our goods and fits the still the best. Samples and self-measuring blanks sent to any address upon application. Harry L. McDuffie, merchant tailor, Reno, Nevada.

SHUDDERS AT HIS PAST.

"I recall now with horror," says Matt Carrier Burnett Mann, of Lovanna, O., "my three years of suffering from kidney trouble. I was hardly ever free from dull aches or acute pains in my back. To stoop or lift mail sacks made me groan. I felt tired, worn out, about ready to give, when I began to use Electric Bitters, but six bottles completely cured me and made me feel like a new man." They're unrivaled to regulate stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed.

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SQUARE GAMES for those who Buck the Tiger.

PIANO AND VIOLIN Music every Night.

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Brearley & Uniacke will be pleased to have their Washoe County friends drop in when visiting the Big Meadows.

BANK OF NEVADA

DIRECTORS—Dan Meyer of San Francisco, Henry Anders, A. G. Fletcher, N. Evans, G. F. Turrittin, Moritz Scherline and P. L. Flannigan, of Reno.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL \$800,000

PAID UP CAPITAL 150,000

UNDIVIDED PROFITS 97,373

INTEREST PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS

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FEMALE DISEASES.

Protrusion (or falling of the womb), leucorrhoea (or white), endometritis, ulceration, fissure, displacements, cancer, tumors, polypos, congestion and inflammation of the ovaries, abscesses, and all diseases of the reproductive organs, irregularities, hysteria, melancholia, loss of nerve power.

BRAIN AND NERVOUS SYSTEM.

Epilepsy, determination of blood to the brain, paralysis, congestion, softening of the brain and spine, neuritis, neuralgia, softening of the brain, melancholia, loss of memory and all diseases of the nervous system.

THROAT AND LUNGS.

Tonsillitis, laryngitis, sore throat, all kinds of bronchitis, consumption, catarrh, chronic pneumonia, pleuritis, asthma, etc.

HEART.

Dilatation, pericarditis, embolism, aneurism, palpitation, weak heart and all irregularities.

STOMACH.

Dyspepsia, ulceration, chronic inflammation, gastritis, indigestion, acidity and catarrh.

LIVER.

Enlargement, abscess, chronic inflammation, lack of bile secretion, gall stones, jaundice, catarrh of the ducts, etc.

BOWELS.

All glandular diseases, paralysis of the muscular coating, appendicitis and constipation.

KIDNEYS AND BLADDER.

Bright's Disease, diabetes, congestion and inflammation, bloody urine, dropsy, cystitis and all diseases of the water passage.

DISEASES OF THE BLOOD AND GLANDS.

Scrofula, rheumatism, blood poisoning, skin disease, sore legs, varicose veins and humors of the kind.

THE EYE.

Granulation of the lids, inflammation, removal all growths and tumors.

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Deafness of all kinds where the drum of the ear is not destroyed.

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Hydrocele, varicocele, cured with out use of the knife.

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Ulcers and ulceration of all kinds.

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Acute, subacute, chronic and nervous.

CATARRH.

Any form cured.

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Skin diseases, ulcerated sore legs, varicose veins, blood poisoning and all diseases of the blood.

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 One inch single column display
 per month \$ 3.00
 Two inch single column display
 per month 5.00
 Additional single column space
 per month per inch 1.50
 Two inch double column per
 month 7.50
 Additional double column space
 per month per inch 2.50
 Professional cards per month 2.50
 Reading local notices per line,
 first insertion 10
 Each subsequent insertion up to
 two weeks, per line 5
 Over two weeks and after the
 first insertion, per line 10
 Funeral notices and cards of
 thanks, per line, first insertion 10
 Each subsequent insertion, per
 line 5
 Theaters, shows of all kinds and
 entertainments will be charged for at the
 rate of 25 per a week's advertising,
 including a four-inch display advertisement.

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1900
 IT LOOKS LIKE FUTURE BUSINESS.

A dispatch was published in the Journal yesterday morning which contained news of a panic in the stock market, which had brought financial ruin to many persons. The contention in the market as stated was to secure control of stock issued by the Northern Pacific.

What the panic may mean is not at this time known. It is probable that some large holders of Northern Pacific stock, who were in the contention to secure control of the stock, learned that control had been, or would be, secured by others in the market, which had the effect to cause others to unload on a high market, which was soon discovered by other holders who began to unload. Those who had been buyers suddenly became sellers and distrust took possession of the market and prices took a tumble not looked for when the market opened, and many who engaged in the market with confidence when it opened came out broken in fortune and in financial distress. These conditions often make an appearance under great excitement in stocks, more particularly are the conditions in an excited market likely to come out second best in a contest. Whether the late panic will show speculation in overland stocks remains to be seen, which will largely depend upon holdings by those who were in the contention to secure control of transcontinental roads. There appears to be a determination by certain parties to railroad owners to secure control of overland roads. The object they have in view is not clear unless it had its origin, as said in yesterday's Journal, in an expected improvement in the market.

The court in the Orient case, which has an appearance at the time of having received a complete trial, will be a change in the case. It has not been known in the past that the trial of the war spirit was to be continued, which will be continued by a beginning of a new era in commerce, as things are now, and those who have hitherto exclusive control of the market will be no longer sustained by them if the rules of the government are extended for the protection and future development of these rules will secure to them the same treatment under what is now a foreign yoke. They should not be treated with distrust or discrimination. The university of freedom, being the proper liberty as they understand it under a system of their own, which is in strict accordance with the rules of human nature.

Development can only be secured under the laws of a government, which will include liberty, justice and free institutions. The conditions are so arranged that the people of the Orient, there being no other way to secure them, will be the chief beneficiaries of the world and the chief roads will be the chief beneficiaries of the world. There is a water way over the Isthmus, which may come in the next fifty years, provided the people continue to govern to secure the best interests of the world, more especially to secure the greatest and higher interests of the United States.

THE WEDDING CASE.

There is some feeling over the decision of the District Court in the wedding case, which is often the case when public sympathy takes hold of matters in litigation. The writer has been requested to discuss the law in the case, which he declined to do. The decision of courts should not be discussed in newspapers, as the law has provided a proper place for their discussion, which is always in court. More particularly is it true when rights are in litigation that the discussion of questions of law together with questions of fact on the facts should be confined to the court.

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legislative and judicial. It is the duty of the executive to enforce the law as made by a law making power which is the legislature of a State, or the Congress of the United States. It is the province of courts to declare the law, or in other words to say what is the right conferred, or what remedy is given by the law. The law as it is declared to be by the courts is the supreme law of the land, and must be obeyed. Courts err, as do other bodies. Error is an attendant upon human action and often makes an appearance where it is not expected it will appear. When error is present in the decision of a court, a higher court than the court that made the error, is the proper and only place to discuss the error. A court possessed of superior power will review the case and if error is discovered the case will be reversed and returned if necessary to the court that made the error for a new trial, or for a rehearing, subject to rules made by the court that reviewed and reversed the case. The courts continue open to Mr. Wedekind, where his rights will be considered upon a review of the case upon appeal taken for that purpose.

ABOUT MINE

Notes Gathered From Exchanges

One shipment amounting to 189 tons were made from Eureka last week. The ore was from six producing mines in the old camp.

Rumors of another strike in Con. Virginia were prevalent this morning but no authentic confirmation of the report could be obtained.—Report.

The use of the diamond drill has been a number of men out of employment at the Bluestone mine in Mason Valley.

Three mining patents have been received by Attorney Chantz for H. B. J. School, of Silver City, on the Unatilla South and East Alamo mining claims situated in Silver City. The Unatilla claim was contested through the courts and granting of the patents put things in working order.—Appeal.

There is nothing new from the oil well at Elko. The big drill is thumping away regularly in the bowels of the earth and good progress is being made.—Independent.

A MINERS' MEETING.

A meeting of miners was held in Rite's Hall last evening. There was a large attendance of miners. President Burns of the Virginia Miners' Union, who spoke at length on the necessity of unionism and organization. It was decided to postpone the organization until after the convention of miners in Denver on the 27th of May, and then be organized and admitted into the Western Federation of Miners' Union. In all probability the local organization will start with a membership of upwards of fifty.

DANGER FROM OVEREATING.

Recently Clara Canned by Two Liberals, a full-length portrait of the medical man, who is known to the few medical men, that many cases of insanity are the result of overeating and the consequent absorption into the circulation of the blood of the intestinal contents, which is a very common cause of insanity. The medical man, who is known to the few medical men, that many cases of insanity are the result of overeating and the consequent absorption into the circulation of the blood of the intestinal contents, which is a very common cause of insanity. The medical man, who is known to the few medical men, that many cases of insanity are the result of overeating and the consequent absorption into the circulation of the blood of the intestinal contents, which is a very common cause of insanity.

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THEY SLEEP HANGING UP.

Moths and Bats Suspend Themselves Without Reason.

There is one animal which lives entirely in trees, but is able to maintain its position during summer without the least exercise of muscular force. This is the sloth, common in the forests of tropical America. Its long claws are so bent that they hook over the branches and allow the creature to hang upside down like an animated hammock. Curiously enough, the hammock appears to be a South American invention and is universally employed by all the Indian tribes of the Amazon. Perhaps the primitive human dwellers in this region took to sleeping in hammocks after observing the habits of the sloth.

The great ant eater, which is both a kingman and fellow countryman of the sloth, has an enormous tail, which it uses in a very remarkable manner. I recently saw two of these strange animals lying together asleep, and they had arranged their tails so cleverly that their whole bodies were hidden from view. Moreover, it was evident that this caudal covering would afford excellent protection from the weather, for the central solid part of the tails acted as a kind of ridge pole over the highest part of the sloth's bodies, so that the long fringes of hair sloped downward on each side like the thatch upon a roof.

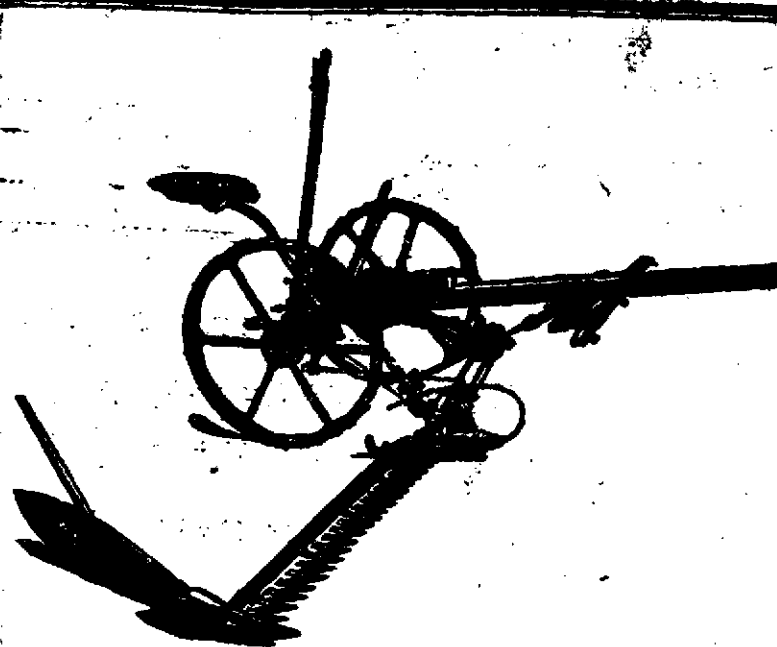
Like the sloth, many kinds of bats sleep suspended by their hooked claws without any muscular exertion whatever. Some of the large fruit eating bats of the tropics, which do not sleep in holes like the species common in southern latitudes, but which hang suspended to the branches of trees in the open air, adopt a position which it would be difficult to beat for economy and comfort. Gould's fruit eating bat, common in the warmer parts of Australia, suspends itself upside down by one hind foot and wraps its body in the flexible folds of its wing membranes, which extend right down to the ankles. Its shoulders, to which the membrane is attached, are humped up so as to act as a sort of umbrella, and when asleep it draws its head under their shelter and settles its nose among the warm fur of its chest.

Mr. Mann sat in his study one evening an insane man rushed into the room and after abusing him for all kinds of fancied grievances challenged him to a fight.

Mr. Mann replied: "My dear fellow, it would give me a great pleasure to accommodate you, but I can't do it. The odds are so unfair. I am a Mann by name and a man by nature—two against one! It would never do to fight."

The insane man answered: "Come ahead. I am a man and a man beside myself. Let us fight a fight."

Don't Be Stupid. If a child is "slow" and home and takes an hour to dress when only a quarter of that time is necessary, it is a bad habit. The "slow" men and women are those who fail to make a use of life. How often you see grown people tinker about something a half a day that could be done in an hour. They learned the habit as children.—Aitchison Globe.



J. R. BRADLEY CO., Agents.

PRESENTS FOR HIS WIFE.

The Wagoner's Story of How He Found His Wife. "Hello, old man! What have you in all those bundles?" asked a gay, airy young bachelor of a carwoman, solemn looking young man as they met in a suburban railway train. "Presents for my wife," was the spontaneous reply. "It's her birthday."

"Well, what are you bringing your wife in that package from your tailors?" gayly pursued the bachelor. "Trousers," was the answer. "What?"

"Yes, I repeat—trousers. Just you listen. On my birthday my wife got me three or four beautiful lace handkerchiefs, such as women carry at afternoon teas and such places, and a black velvet hat with high feathers. One of the three story kind that obstruct your view of the stage in the theater. They looked mighty well on her, and she asked me if I wasn't having a nice birthday."

"Well, I didn't mind that very much, but when Christmas came I got another lot of the same sort. I gave my wife a pretty gold ring. She gave me a turquoise ring too small to go over any of my knuckles, and she wears it now next to the one I gave her. But that wasn't the worst of it. She got her sister to give me some after dinner coffee cups and my sister to make me a lot of lace doilies. That was all I got for Christmas."

"Tomorrow is my wife's birthday. In this package I am bringing her a pair of trousers which I had made to my measure and which I shall wear. In this parcel is a pair of the very best patent shoes, size 8 1/2, a good deal too big for my wife; in this package is a box of cigars, and in my pockets I have a new meerschaum pipe and a packet of tobacco. Now, I don't see how she can fail to have a happy birthday. Do you? I hope she'll enjoy it for I want to get even for all the pretty things she has given me."—London "Grip."

The Ideal Giant Deering.

FARMERS' FAVORITE.
 Costs Less, Extras Cheapest,
 Life the Longest, Cuts in any Grass,
 Cuts Easiest on Man or Beast.
BALL BEARING.

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Novel Risks Created by Up to Date English Companies. "It was stated recently as a fact of novel and unusual interest that it was now possible to insure for the contingency of being the father of twins. And so it is. You can also insure prospective triplets." But that is a small matter compared to the queer risks insurance companies are taking every day. Anything from the vicissitudes of playing a fast bowler on a kicking wicket to the chance of an heir changing his religious tenets, is now a subject for an insurance policy.

"We insure people against the possibility of any calamity, whatever it may be," said Mr. Armstrong of the Ocean Accident Insurance company to a Mail representative.

"Frequently we are asked to insure against a man changing his name. Say somebody leaves a property to John Smith on condition that he takes the name and style of Howard Montmorency Vandeleur. He wants to borrow money on his property. The lender declines to advance the money on the ground that he has no guarantee that Vandeleur won't return to being called Smith. We insure the lender against that contingency, and Vandeleur (see Smith) gets his money."

"Another type of case is an insurance against the discovery of a missing man. A prodigal son leaves home for his country's good, and nobody knows where he is. His father, years later, leaves his property to be divided equally among his children. The trustee of the will finds himself in a difficulty. The prodigal may return from his trunks, and then the other heirs will have had more than their share. We insure the trustee against the prodigal's return."

"Not long ago we insured a mortgagor against the mortgagee's marriage outside the faith. Because such a marriage would have cost the mortgagor his property."—London Mail.

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